

CITY OF NEWTON

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN

TRAFFIC COUNCIL AGENDA

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 2008

7:00 p.m.
Room 222
City Hall

#TC17-08 ALD. HARNEY AND SANGIOLO requesting study of intersections –
(299-07) Commonwealth Avenue, Oakland Avenue, Auburn Street, and Evergreen
Avenue to calm traffic, allow for pedestrian crossing and safe traffic
merging.
(Ward 4) [09-20-07 @ 3:53 PM]

#TC16-08 ALD. HARNEY AND SANGIOLO requesting modification to traffic
(298-07) signal @ Commonwealth Avenue/Ash Street to improve egress from
Islington Road on to Commonwealth Avenue. (Ward 4) [09-20-07 @ 3:53
PM]

#TC14-08 ALD. HARNEY on behalf of local residents, requesting that due to
(296-07) increased parking, a study of possible parking restrictions on Beacon
Street in Waban between Washington Street and Dorset Road. (Ward 5)
[09-18-07 @ 7:44 PM]

#TC9-08 ALD. LENNON requesting on behalf of various business owners a
(154-07) discussion regarding the distribution of 1-, 3- and 12-hour meters in the
Richardson Street Municipal Parking Lot. (Ward 1) [4-23-07 @ 9:54 PM]
HELD 4-0 FOR 60-DAY TRIAL ON 10/18/07

ITEM REFERRED TO TRAFFIC COUNCIL BY PS&T COMMITTEE ON 10/3/07:

#TC4-08 ALD. LENNON, on behalf of Charles and Shirley Daly, 2-4 Colonial
(176-06) Avenue, requesting an analysis and discussion of potential safety
enhancements at the intersection of CALIFORNIA STREET AND
COLONIAL AVENUE, Newtonville (Ward 1).

ITEM REFERRED TO TRAFFIC COUNCIL BY PS&T COMMITTEE ON 10/3/07

#TC1-08 ALD. LENNON on behalf of residents of BRIDGE STREET, Nonantum,
(381-04) requesting discussion and analysis of possible implementation of traffic
calming measures on BRIDGE STREET (from California Street to
Watertown Street).

ITEMS NOT YET SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION

REFERRED TO TRAFFIC COUNCIL BY PS&T COMMITTEE ON 10/3/07:

- #TC2-08 ALD. HARNEY AND SANGIOLO requesting traffic study with
(419-04) recommended improvements for traffic calming in the area of
LEXINGTON STREET/WOLCOTT STREET in Auburndale.
- #TC3-08 ALD. JOHNSON, ALBRIGHT, AND LINSKY requesting discussion in
(112-06) order to determine the best ways to address parking, vehicular and
pedestrian traffic issues in the Morseland Street area (Ward 2). **HELD**
4/26/07
- #TC5-08 ALD. BURG requesting consideration of traffic calming measures on
(360-06) Derby Street between Cherry Street and Waltham city line. (Ward 3)
HELD 1/18/07

ITEM REFERRED TO TRAFFIC COUNCIL BY PS&T COMMITTEE ON 10/3/07:

- #TC6-08 ALD. LENNON requesting discussion, analysis and possible
(372-06) implementation of traffic calming measures on East Side Parkway and at
the intersection of Lewis Terrace, Lewis Street and Newtonville Avenue.
- #TC7-08 CANDACE HAVENS & ALD. LENNON on behalf of Vernon Street
(385-06) residents requesting speed study and consideration of traffic calming or
other measures to assure safe conditions. (Ward 1) **HELD ON 3/8/07**
- #TC8-08 NANCY L. KEATING, 108 Herrick Road, Newton Centre requesting that
(386-06) present 1-way stop at Chase Street and Herrick Road become a 3-way
stop. (Ward 6) **HELD 1/18/07**
- #TC10-08 ANTHONY P. RAUCCI, 19 Alderwood Road, Newton Centre,
(157-07) requesting parking restriction on ALDERWOOD ROAD for safe passage
of emergency/service vehicles as well as for cars entering/exiting
residential driveways (Ward 7). [04-24-07 @3:13 PM]
NO PARKING, 7 A.M.-7 P.M., NORTH SIDE; 1-HOUR PARKING,
7 A.M.-7 P.M., SOUTH SIDE HELD FOR 60-DAY TRIAL 5-0 on
9/20/07
HELD 4-0 (TRIAL EXTENDED) ON 11/15/07
- #TC11-08 ALD. LINSKY, JOHNSON, ALBRIGHT, LENNON, SALVUCCI
(258-07) requesting a discussion relative to changing the traffic flow so that the
east end of the Lowell Avenue extension would no longer accommodate
two-way through traffic into the intersection of Watertown, Crafts, and
Lowell Avenue extension. [8-7-07 @3:12 PM]
HELD 4-0 ON 11/15/07

- #TC12-08 (HP16.2) ALD. JOHNSON requesting that one handicapped parking space (recently voted to be removed by the Traffic Council on 7/31/07) be reinstated on Albemarle Road near the Horace Mann Elementary School (Ward 2). [08-31-07 @ 1:15 PM]
- #TC13-08 (HP16.3) ALD. JOHNSON requesting that the number of designated handicapped parking spaces (approved by the Traffic Council on 7/31/07) be increased to two (2) and that said spaces be located directly in front of the Gazebo on Albemarle Road, as originally petitioned and approved by the CPC and Board of Aldermen (Ward 2). [08-31-07 @ 1:15 PM]
- #TC15-08 (297-07) ALD. HARNEY, on behalf of local residents, requesting a study of possible traffic calming measures that would allow residents of STANTON AVENUE in Auburndale to access Route 16. (Ward 4) [09-20-07 @ 3:53 PM]
- #TC18-08 (361-07) ANNE MARIE DUNNE, 101 Eliot Avenue, West Newton, requesting reduction of posted speed limit as well as discussion of possible ONE-WAY street on ELIOT AVENUE (Ward 3). [10-16-07 @ 12:26 P.M.]
- #TC19-08 (362-07) DAVID KOSES, on behalf of Planning & Development Department requesting study of speed and traffic volumes and recommendations for enhancing pedestrian safety near Angino Farm. .
- #TC20-08 (363-07) ALD. HARNEY on behalf of Tom Koerber and Lasell College requesting parking restrictions on Lake and Myrtle Ave in Auburndale. (Ward 4) [10-23-07 @ 07:53 P.M.]
- #TC21-08 ALD. FREEDMAN, FISCHMAN & LAPPIN requesting a review of pedestrian safety in the area of DEDHAM STREET from NAHANTON STREET to BROOKLINE STREET to improve safety for students and adults crossing this dangerous stretch of Dedham Street. [01-02-08 @ 11:46 A.M.]
- #TC22-08 ALESSANDRO PORRO, 130 Dedham Street, requesting that the speed limit be reduced (from 30 mph to 25 mph) on DEDHAM STREET between STONY BRAE ROAD and the COUNTRYSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

- #TC23-08 ALD. LINSKY, JOHNSON, ALBRIGHT, LENNON, SALVUCCI, MERRILL AND CICCONE requesting discussion relative to addressing the conditions for vehicular operators and pedestrians, especially relating to lines of sight, on the west edge of the intersection of LOWELL AVENUE and WALNUT STREET. [01-03-08 @ 4:37 p.m.]
- #TC24-08 BRUCE BARON, 361 Albemarle Road, requesting traffic calming measures on ALBEMARLE ROAD between Watertown Street and Crafts Street (Ward 3). [01-09-08 @ 10:04 a.m.]

Respectfully submitted,

Clint Schuckel, Traffic Engineer